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In Re Patent Application of:
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Appln. No.: 10/748,469 : Examiner: Donald J. Loney
Filing Date: December 30, 2003 : Attorney Docket No.: D0447-043US
Title: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING COMPOSITE VEHICLE PANELS

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 25, 2005. This response is being timely submitted by August 25, 2005.

Please amend the above-identified application, without prejudice, as follows: